

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace ¶ [032] of the Specification with the following replacement ¶

[032].

“[032] By its lifting movement, the toothed lock rod 20 transmits the rotational movement of the drive toothed wheel 18 to the toothed wheels 26 of the driven side which are connected to the lock elements 22 in a positive engagement and/or frictional engagement. The guide of the toothed rod ~~[[24]]~~ 20 can be held in an extruded profile 30 by separate guide parts made of metal (e.g., diecast zinc) or plastic (injection molded part) or by a shaped out portion-~~[[35]]~~.”

Please also delete the line on page 10 of the specification which states:

“35 ~~shaped out portion~~”

No new matter was added by the above amendment.